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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$507.
 - \$387 for 43 total claims over 20.
 - \$120 for 3 independent claims over 3.
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